

CARNEGIE WAS A TROUBLE-MAKER

Former President of Independent Steel Concerns Testifies That Mr. Carnegie Was Responsible For Dissolution of Rail Pools—Once Forced Rails Down to \$14 a Ton, Which Was Below Cost, Declares the Witness.

New York, Jan. 27.—Testimony in support of the contention of the government that Andrew Carnegie was a trouble maker in the steel trade and that the Carnegie Steel company was taken over by the United States Steel corporation because of his refusal to abide by agreements, was heard today in the government suit to dissolve the corporation under the Sherman anti-trust law. It was given by Walter Scranton, former president of the Lackawanna Steel company and one of the independent concerns.

Carnegie Caused Dissolution of Pools.

Mr. Scranton told of the various steel rail pools which existed in the steel trade before the corporation was organized in which the Carnegie Steel company was invariably a member. It appeared from his testimony that Andrew Carnegie was responsible for the dissolution of most of the pools. "Did Andrew Carnegie cause the competition give rise to any feeling on the part of manufacturers against his continuance in the business?" asked H. E. Colton of counsel for the government.

"There was a general feeling that it would be a Godsend if Andrew Carnegie was out of the business," replied Mr. Scranton with a laugh.

Rails Sold Below Cost.

In one instance, dating back to 1907 the Carnegie Steel company, according to the witness, had an "inside agreement" with the Illinois Steel company which did not come to the knowledge of the other members of the pool until the two companies quarreled. Then the pool broke up. "Rails sold down to \$14 a ton after the break," said Mr. Scranton, "which was way below cost."

The dissolution of this pool, he said, led to a plan to organize the Empire Rail company which was to be a selling company for the rail makers, but the plan fell through. "What individual was responsible for that?" asked Mr. Colton. "Andrew Carnegie. He couldn't agree with the other members," replied the witness.

Another Pool Organized.

Subsequently another rail pool was organized at which Charles W. Schwab represented the Carnegie company and Judge Elbert H. Gary, now chairman of the steel corporation, represented the Federal Steel company.

"We would meet and suggest a price as among gentlemen, but as often we didn't sell at the price agreed upon," explained the witness. This was in 1900. The steel corporation was organized in 1901 and Mr. Colton wanted to know if by the acquisition of the Carnegie, the Federal and the National Steel companies, all the consolidation

tion in themselves, the steel corporation didn't acquire "a percentage of the rail capacity of the country sufficient to control the price of standard rails."

Rails Continue at \$28 a Ton.

"I don't think they could control the price, but their suggestions would be favorably considered," said the witness.

Mr. Colton pointed to the fact that since the organization of the corporation the price of rails had not varied from \$28 a ton.

"I should think that indicated that some understanding existed," said Mr. Scranton.

One-fourth of Fortune in Steel.

That one-fourth of the fortune of William E. Corey, former president of the corporation, was invested in United States Steel securities was brought out today while Mr. Corey was winding up his unfinished testimony of last week.

The information was elicited from Mr. Corey himself by the government counsel in an apparent effort to show that the witness had not been actuated in giving his previous testimony considered by the witness as "naturally in favor" of the success of the corporation in the present suit.

WESTERLY.

Town Council to Report on \$4,000 Damage Claim—Anti-Tuberculosis Society in Session—Idle Ice Manufacturing Plant May Be Started Up.

Rev. J. W. Ford administered the first Baptist church Sunday evening.

The present will be a week of prayer in the First Baptist church, with services each evening, except Saturday.

"What will you do in eternity?" "What will you do in the next world are the queries of a local rock artist along the roadside, between Westerly and Stonington. The representative of a patent remedy has painted directly under these queries the significant suggestion: "The oil; best for burns."

Misses Edith and Clara O'Neil will sail from New York next Saturday for Panama. They will be absent from Westerly 25 days.

It is proposed to have an elaborate celebration at the formal dedication of the new town hall and courthouse.

The council for improvement in the town council to investigate the claim of \$4,000 presented by Mrs. Harry D. Coyle against the town.

Mrs. Coyle fell on a defective sidewalk in Union street and sustained fractures in both patellas, and is permanently injured.

When a fire-proof building is erected for museum purposes by the Memorial Library association or Western Historical society, or both, there will be generous donations or loans of articles of considerable historical value, also of many articles that have become of priceless value by reason of scarcity and antiquity.

A local amateur photographer has taken views at Pleasant View showing the need for improvement in the sanitary conditions at that growing summer resort.

Major Arthur N. Nash spent Monday in Providence.

Michael F. Doady and C. Leo Higgins are students at the Rhode Island College of Pharmacy, attending two days a week.

Miss Mabel Saunders, the efficient clerk in the office of the town clerk, is conducting the business during the absence of the town clerk on a trip to Panama.

Walter Clark is visiting his mother in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Donovan of Norwich were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edith E. Fenelon.

Mrs. E. J. Fenelon and daughter, Bessie, returned Saturday from a visit in Boston.

Napoleon Tebo of Worcester, Mass., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Fenelon.

John Island of Ballie was in Westerly Monday.

There was a change from rain to snow in Westerly Monday afternoon, just enough to substantiate this item.

All out of doors building work was suspended on Monday on account of rain.

Clarence Arthur Barnes of Exeter, N. H., is in town.

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Pure Food Specials Which Will Lower Cost of Living

Fresh Frankfurters lb. 12c	1/2 lb. LIVER 15c	Shoulder ROAST, lb. 12 1/2c
Fresh Sausage lb. 12c	1/2 lb. BACON 15c	Choice Cuts
Fresh Bologna lb. 12c	SIRLOIN STEAK, lb. 16c	CORNEB BEEF, lb. 10c
Sugar Cured, Smoked SHOULDERS, lb. 12 1/2c	SALT PORK lb. 12 1/2c	Sliced, Sugar Cured HAM lb. 17c
Yellow Onions 4 qts. 10c	Sweet Oranges 15 for 25c	Heavy Grape Fruit, 4 for 25c
Fishers Island Creamery Butter, lb. 40c	Pure Lard lb. 13c	Swift's Oleomargarine lb. 19c-23c
PRUNES for stewing, 3 lbs. 14c	Clothes Pins, 100 for 10c	Peanut Butter lb. 12c
Buckwheat, Prepared, pkg. 12c	Raisins, seedless, 2 lbs. 15c	Whole Milk Cheese, lb. 20c
Mohican Borax Soap, 7 bars 25c	Succotash, York State 2 cans 15c	
Onion Salad, 2 bottles 17c	Fancy Maine Corn 2 cans 15c	

formerly of Westerly, was here for a brief period Saturday evening.

The branch of the Rhode Island Anti-Tuberculosis society held a meeting in the assembly room of the Memorial building Monday afternoon, and took steps to hold in using the passage of measures for the advancement of the objects of the association at the present session of the general assembly.

The owners of the ice manufacturing plant on the Watch Hill road, which has been idle for several seasons, are seriously considering the advisability of setting the plant into active operation.

According to one who knows Peter Rose, and who talked with him on the arrival of the 8.55 train from the west Saturday night, Peter was surely here to report to the contrary notwithstanding.

Mrs. Orson Rogers, who fell from the show window into the basement of the Western Furniture Store, Saturday afternoon, has been semi-conscious ever since and is in a critical condition.

Rev. H. C. Van Horn of the Ashaway Baptist church, known as the "Chester" at his home in Cross street, Sunday afternoon, was in Oak Grove cemetery, Ashaway.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Whitford moved Monday from Westerly to Plainfield, N. J.

William A. Wilcox has sold the farm in North Stonington, known as the "Salem Farm," to Arthur W. Warren of Bristol.

Effort is to be made to organize a camp of Sons of Veterans in Westerly.

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MYSTIC

Raising \$5,000 Required to Secure \$20,000 Gift of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Webb.

The Men's club is busy raising the \$5,000 required for a sustaining fund for the new social settlement house promised to the village by Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Webb when this condition has been complied with.

The paper has been headed by a gift of \$100 from Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Webb, and other names are being down rapidly. The lot for the building has already been selected and is where the Cafe Albert now stands, on Pearl street. The lot has a frontage of 48 feet and is 200 feet deep. Plans are being drawn up and the building will be commenced soon. It is to contain all modern improvements, with facilities for play as well as study.

A New Britain correspondent writes:

New Britain people will be much interested to hear of the generous gift which Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Webb, formerly of this city, have just made to the town of Mystic for the erection and maintenance of a building to be devoted to the welfare of Mystic boys and girls.

The magnificent sum of \$20,000 is the amount of the donation. Mr. and Mrs. Webb have long contemplated doing something for the betterment of Mystic. With the plan they have made the stipulation that an additional \$5,000 must be raised by the town of Mystic.

It is understood that the \$20,000 a half will be used for the erection of the building and the other half set aside as an endowment fund to which \$5,000 is to be added each year.

A large circle of friends in New Britain, especially among the older people, has for many years contemplated the erection of a building to be devoted to the welfare of Mystic boys and girls, and so said Charles Leonard.

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Business and it will probably be necessary to secure a substitute.

To Observe Lent.

The Stamford Ministerial association is making preparations for a more extensive observance of the Lenten season than has heretofore been customary.

Notes.

Herman Rawlster of New York was in town on business Monday.

The district is unable to attend to her school duties on account of illness.

Miss Victoria Fanciera has entered the Pero store in place of Mrs. St. Peter, who resigned last week.

Knuckles Used to Crack and Bleed.

Hands Chapped, Suffered Terrible Pain. Used Cuticura Soap and Ointment Five Weeks, Hands Fine.

674 Park Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.—"My hands used to chap and bleed and they pained me very much. When I put them in water they used to burn terribly, especially in hot water. My hands looked dirty; that was because they were so chapped. The knuckles used to crack and bleed and I suffered terrible pain. I tried different remedies but they never did any good. I tried to use Cuticura Soap and Ointment. I got some and made a lather from the Cuticura Soap and bathed my hands and feet and my hands and feet were healed. They used to be red and raw and now they are soft as velvet. I tried the Cuticura Soap and Ointment for a week and they got fine. I have no more trouble with my hands since I used Cuticura Soap and Ointment. I can't praise it enough to all my friends. (Signed) Mrs. M. Weisman, Dec. 22, 1911.

For pimples and blackheads the following most effective remedy is recommended: Gently smear the affected parts with Cuticura Ointment, on the end of the finger, but do not rub. Wash off the Cuticura Ointment in five minutes with Cuticura Soap and hot water and continue bathing for some minutes. This treatment is best on rising and retiring. At other times use Cuticura Soap freely for the toilet and bath, to assist in preventing inflammation, irritation and clogging of the pores. Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment are sold throughout the world. Liberal sample of each mailed free, with 32-p. Skin Book. Address post-card "Cuticura, Dept. T, Boston."

32-Tender-faced men should use Cuticura Soap Shaving Stick, 25c. Sample free.

None than a few doses of Croxone are seldom required to relieve even the obstinate long standing cases, while it cures the most severe forms of kidney, bladder trouble, and rheumatism in a surprisingly short time.

You will find Croxone entirely different from all other remedies. There is nothing else on earth like it. It is so prepared that it is practically impossible to take it into the human system without results. An original package costs but a trifle at any first class drug store, such as that of Lee and Osmond Co. All druggists are authorized to personally return the purchase price of Croxone falls to give the desired results the very first time you use it.

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It is a positive fact that the new discovery, Croxone, promptly overcomes the most stubborn cases of kidney trouble, and cures the bladder and the system of uric acid, removing the cause and curing the trouble.

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